Belin Sworn In to Direct Body Investigating C.I.A.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 16 — David Belin, a 46-year-old lawyer from Iowa who was a counsel to the Warren commision that investigated the assassination of President Kennedy, was sworn in today as executive director of the Presidential commission set up to investigate charges of illegal domestic activities by the Central Intelligence Agency.

Mr. Belin was sworn in in Vice President Rockefeller's office by John Ratchford, an executive clerk. He told the Vice President, who is chairman of the eight-member commission: I look forward to working with the Vice Persident and other members of the commission," adding that he would faithfully discharge" his responsibility.

Asked whether any violations of law, if any were found, would be prosecuted, Mr. Belin said that if there were any, and if the statute of limitations had not expired, "I assume the Department of Justice would do its duty."

He also said that the report from the C.I.A.'s director, Wiliam E. Colby, made public yesterday was the same as that given to President Ford, Mr. Rockefeller and the commission.